

<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>	
	10/031,276	PITZER ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b>	<b>Art Unit</b>	
	Mark Eashoo, Ph.D.	1732	

**All Participants:**

**Status of Application:** \_\_\_\_\_

(1) Mark Eashoo, Ph.D.

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Louis Iselin.

(4) \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Interview:** 19 January 2005

**Time:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

**Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated:** ☐ Yes ☒ No  
 If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

**Rejection(s) discussed:**  
*that of record*

**Claims discussed:**  
*those pending*

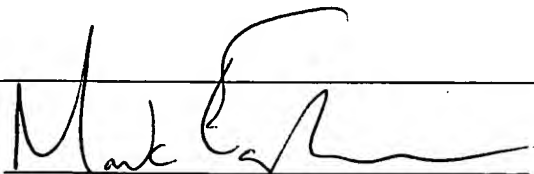
**Prior art documents discussed:**  
*that of record*

**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**  
*See Continuation Sheet*

**Part III.**

- ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Ex. Eashoo noted that applicant's arguments filed in NOV would be persuasive if the Magnitude of the compression were claimed. claims 1, 14, and 16 recite "predetermined" diameter or thickness which is readable over minor/negligible compression. Mr. Iselin suggested changes to incorporate the degree of compression into claims 1 and 14. Claim 16 would be cancelled since the proposed change would essentially yield claim 21. Other changes for formal matters were discussed. The agreed upon changes would be done by Examiner's amendment. .